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COVID-19 Updates

The [COVID-19 Response website](#) is where we post the latest information about the pandemic, including a new COVID-19 Dashboard that is updated every Tuesday.

Calendar: Upcoming Professional Development Opportunities

Check out upcoming professional development opportunities! The TILT TigerLearn event calendar is your go-to for professional development at FHSU! Check it out here: <http://tigerlearn.fhsu.edu/events/>.

To provide faculty and staff with one easy place to see all professional development at FHSU, we're happy to include your event on the TigerLearn calendar. We can include links to your registration site, contact persons for questions, etc. Just contact TILT-FacultyDev@fhsu.edu, and we'll add your event right away!

Chartwells has Limited Time Offers for the Month of December!

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As always, Contactless Catering makes sure you get delicious food without worrying about safety.

Holiday Social:

Antipasto – 3.59/serving

Provolone, sopressata, marinated artichokes, mushrooms and mozzarella, Italian sausage, assorted olives, roasted peppers

Shrimp – 5.25/serving

Cocktail sauce, lemons

Crudit  – 2.99/serving

Ranch dipping sauce

Seasonal Fruit – 2.49/serving

Assorted Dollar Sandwiches, mustard, mayo – 3.49/serving

Holiday Dinner:

Let us take care of your thanksgiving catering.

*\$17.99 each *Minimum of 12 servings**

Turkey, Sage Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Turkey Gravy, Cranberry Orange Relish, Bourbon Pumpkin Pie

Choice of 2 sides: Roasted Sweet Potato, Green Bean Casserole, Corn Souffl , Balsamic Roasted Brussel Sprouts

Contact our Catering Coordinator Austin Petz at (785) 628-5396 or visit [dineoncampus/forthays](#) under the Catering tab to order!

Fort Hays Singers Selected to Perform at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii - Join the Trip or Support the Trip

The Fort Hays Singers, Terry Crull, conductor, have been asked to sing at the ceremonies at Pearl Harbor to commemorate the 80th Anniversary of the Dec 7th, 1941 attack. We are the ONLY choir from Kansas asked to perform at this event. A DISTINCT HONOR! The trip will be Dec 4-9, 2021.

Donations to help the STUDENTS travel can be sent to our account at the FHSU Foundation.

Forsyth Library Hours and Services from Thanksgiving Break through Intersession

Date	Building Hours Open	Ask a Librarian-On-Line Help
Monday – Friday December 14-18	8am to 4:30pm	8am to 4:30pm
Saturday – Sunday December 19-20	Closed	Closed
Monday – Sunday December 21 - January 3	Closed	Closed
Monday – Friday January 4-8	8am to 4:30pm	8am to 4:30pm
Saturday – Sunday January 9-10	Closed	Closed
Monday – Friday January 11-15	8am to 4:30pm	8am to 4:30pm
Saturday – Monday January 16-18	Closed	MLK Holiday, Monday
Tuesday January 19 th	Resume Normal Building and Online Hours	

The Fort Hays Singers presents Singing Christmas Cards

Treat your hard-to-shop-for friends and family to some beautiful Christmas cheer, sung by the Fort Hays Singers, Terry Crull, conductor.

After a small donation of \$25.00 we will send you a “thank you” gift of a Singing Christmas Card that features two songs of YOUR choice, and a photo of the Fort Hays Singers:

Christmas Songs: Deck the Halls – Up On a Housetop – I’ll Be Home for Christmas – Let It Snow!
Carols: Come O Come Emmanuel – Caroling Caroling – All On Christmas Morning – We’ll Dress the House

All donations go to the FHSU foundation to help the students afford our trip to Hawaii next December, where we have been invited to sing at the 80th Anniversary Ceremony of the attack on Pearl Harbor - December 7, 2021.

Contact Terry Crull (tacrull@fhsu.edu // 785-639-3200) to order yours TODAY!

Dr. Terry Crull
Director of Choral Activities

Make this a December to Remember with the Social Work Club

The FHSU Social Work Club is partnering with The Cookie Kit Company to provide Christmas Cookie Kits. We are currently offering two flavors, classic sugar cookie or oatmeal butterscotch. Cookie kits include 12 cookies, three colors of royal icing, and sprinkles for \$25! Now accepting orders through December 18, 2020. Cookie kits can be picked up, delivered for free to those in Hays, or shipped for an additional \$8. Have questions or would like to place an order? Text / Call Riley Woodward at 785-955-7017 or email @thecookiekitcompany@gmail.com. All proceeds will be going to the FHSU Social Work Club for additional educational opportunities! We appreciate your support!

MDC Spring SHRM Online Course

Online Course: SHRM Certification Online Prep Course

Course Dates: Feb. 8 – May 2, 2021

Price: \$1200 (discounts available for FHSU Alumn, early registrations and students)

Instructor: Mr. Tom Zerfas

Do you know a student, acquaintance or co-worker who could benefit from a professional HR certification? If so, feel free to share this course with them!

The SHRM-CP & SCP certifications will allow you to be recognized as a qualified and valuable HR professional. The MDC's SHRM Certification Prep Course is designed to set up individuals in the HR field for future success by greatly increasing their chances of passing the SHRM-CP and SHRM-SCP exam to obtain these certifications. Participants will benefit from expert instruction, the SHRM Learning System—the official certification prep tool, and supplemental materials on FHSU's Learning Management System, Blackboard. The course concludes right before the next SHRM certification exam testing window, so you don't have to worry about forgetting what you just learned.

This course is structured as an asynchronous, independent study. Expert instruction and support will be available to all participants throughout the course by SHRM-certified instructor Mr. Tom Zerfas. Students are eligible to receive 3 credit hours for this course, making it a great addition to their spring course schedule.

*Register by **January 29**. Early registration ends **January 18**.*

For more information on this course, visit the [MDC's website](#) or [email us](#)!

Employment Opportunity – Marketing Editor – University Relations and Marketing

University Relations and Marketing is accepting applications for a Marketing Editor.

The marketing editor reports to the chief communications officer and is responsible for developing strategic communications and marketing content that elevates Hays State University's institutional profile. Efforts include researching and writing articles in support of university content marketing efforts, magazine and marketing copywriting and editing, writing press releases, news distribution, earned media strategy development. The marketing editor also serves as the senior editor of ROAR Magazine. This position may also include the supervision of one or more strategic communications specialists. For a full description and to apply visit <https://fhsu.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/CAREERS>

Times Talk: Spring 2021

It is that time once again! With the semester drawing to a close, the American Democracy Project is beginning to plan for the spring semester! As many of you may know, one of the main events we hold throughout the year are Times Talks, which are short informational presentations, usually around 45 minutes with time for questions at the end. If you or someone you know has a topic they have a desire to present on, please feel free to contact me (i_schindler.se@fhsu.edu). The ADP does accept presentations from students as well, so please let your students know if they have any research they would like to present about! We do ask that the topics be relevant to a specific New York Times article that has been published within the last three years. Furthermore, we ask that topics fall within one of the following areas: promoting civic or political engagement, civil discourse, or providing information on a specific social or political issue. We typically schedule these events on Wednesdays at 12:30pm or Tuesdays/Thursdays at 12:00pm. As a foreseen result of the novel coronavirus pandemic, these Times Talks are held virtually over Zoom. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out and ask!

Thank you so much. May the upcoming break be restful and may you all have a happy holiday season!

Tiger Wellness Center Winter Break

The Tiger Wellness Center will continue to be open over Winter Break with modified hours.

We will be open:

Monday – Friday: 6:30am – 7:00pm

Saturday – Sunday: 10:00am – 5:00pm

We will be closed a few days throughout the break: December 24th, 25th, & 26th and also January 1st and 18th.

We will be offering a virtual fitness class each Monday, check out our Facebook page for the video:

<https://www.facebook.com/tigerwellness>

We will start in person fitness classes the week of January 4th. Stay up to date by following us on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram.

Yellowdig Classic is Ending! – Learn How to Transition from Yellowdig Classic to Engage

Yellowdig (Yellowdig Classic) will be updated to [Yellowdig Engage](#) in Blackboard by the end of the fall 2020 semester. This update will remove all the previous Yellowdig links from your courses in Blackboard along with any descriptions (i.e., discussion prompts) posted under the Yellowdig links. If you are using Yellowdig Classic and haven't transitioned any of those links to Yellowdig Engage, please follow the instructions in this [interactive tutorial](#) to update the links. Please contact tigerlearn@fhsu.edu if you have any questions or concerns.

***Please fill out [this survey](#) to let us know if you need further assistance with this transition.**

End of the Year Gifts Notice

2020 is almost complete and people are making year end gifts to the University. Should your office receive a gift during these last weeks of December (especially since the University will be closed between Christmas and New Year) I ask that you send copies of all correspondence, along with the envelope the gift was mailed in, to the Foundation office for processing. **IT IS MOST IMPORTANT TO KEEP THE ENVELOPE BECAUSE THE POSTMARK DATE DETERMINES THE DATE OF THE GIFT.** If you currently have any donations, please send them to the Foundation as soon as possible. Please contact Teresa Hammerschmidt at 628-5624 for additional information. Thank You!

Spring 2021 Advisor Training Sessions

The Academic Advising and Career Exploration Center offers certificates for academic advisors each semester. The schedule for this fall is available below. All sessions will be live via Zoom.

If you have attended sessions in the past and need to know which sessions you have left to receive your certificate, please email your name and department to advising@fhsu.edu for assistance.

NOTE: This is open to both faculty and staff.

RSVP: RSVPing is required to gain access to training sessions. Let us know if you are planning to attend by replying to advising@fhsu.edu. We will send you a calendar entry that you will need to “Accept and Send the Response Now”. This will allow us to prepare appropriately. We look forward to seeing you at our Zoom sessions.

ADVISING TECHNOLOGY CERTIFICATE

This certificate will provide academic advisors with information related to the primary technology applications utilized to support academic advising at FHSU. Participants must attend each session to receive the certificate. **Participants need to arrive promptly, be on camera for the duration of the training and engage appropriately for each session.** The following are the dates for this certificate.

Tuesday, January 26, 2021, 1:30-2:30 PM *Using Technology in Advising-TigerTracks*

Thursday, January 28, 2021, 1:30-2:30 PM *Using Technology in Advising-TigerEnroll*

Tuesday, February 2, 2021, 1:30-2:30 PM *Using Technology in Advising-Advising Notes*

Thursday, February 4, 2021, 1:30-2:30 PM *Using Technology in Advising-Tiger Early Alert*

CAREER ADVISING CERTIFICATE

This is a great professional development opportunity for those interested in effectively providing career advising to their advisees, gaining an understanding of how the career exploration process works in AACE and the role of the UNIV 100: Major and Career Exploration course. Participants must attend each session to receive the certificate. **Participants need to arrive promptly, be on camera for the duration of the training and engage appropriately for each session.** The following are the dates for this certificate.

Tuesday, February 9, 2021, 12-1 PM *Career Advising: What is Career Advising?*

Tuesday, February 16, 2021, 12-1 PM *Career Advising: FHSUMajors.com – More than just an assessment*

Tuesday, February 23, 2021, 12-1 PM *Career Advising: Career Exploration – Finding the right fit*

Tuesday, March 2, 2021, 12-1 PM *Career Advising: Career Exploration – Confirming major selection*

NACADA Webinars

The Academic Advising and Career Exploration Center and Office of Student Affairs will be hosting the following webinars from NACADA: The Global Community for Academic Advising thanks to the

generosity of the Office of Student Affairs. Webinars will be recorded on the day listed below and a link providing access to the recording will be sent to those that have RSVP'd within 7 business days.

Thursday, January 14, 2021 - **Building Relationship with Today's Students through Effective Communication Strategies**

Tuesday, February 16, 2021 - **The Magical World of Academic Advising: Advising Styles and Personalities Unite!**

Thursday, March 4, 2021 - **Incorporating Coaching Skills into Academic Advising Practice: Discovering the Relational Power of Advising**

Questions should be directed to advising@fhsu.edu.

Great Conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn Viewing

Sky watchers are in for an end-of-year treat. What has become known popularly as the “Christmas Star” is an especially vibrant planetary conjunction easily visible in the evening sky over the next two weeks as the bright planets Jupiter and Saturn come together, culminating on the night of Dec. 21. Masks required.

Free and open to the public. Weather permitting.

December 21, 2020

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Behind Wooster on top of the FHSU Levee

www.fhus.edu/smei

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Natural History Trivia Quest: A Virtual Experience 3.5 Billion Years in the Making

Join us virtually for the Natural History Trivia Quest game, hosted by the Sternberg's Education Manager, Ian Trevethan. Team up with family and friends to battle for natural history knowledge supremacy! The quiz will take place virtually in Gather Town, a fun new online platform to help re-create meetings and events. Trivia Quest starts December 31st, 2020 at 7 pm CST. The cost to join is \$5 per computer (Desktop, Laptop). Preregistration is required, the deadline to register is December 30th at midnight, space is limited.

Our first Trivia Quest will be about Dinosaurs. Visit <http://sternberg.fhsu.edu>, to register or to get more information.

EVENTS

Online Science Café Presents: “ARE WE ALONE IN THE UNIVERSE?”

Monday, January 25, 2021 at 7:00pm

We are at an interesting time in planetary studies. Deep-space missions are now able to explore potentially-habitable worlds within our Solar System and beyond.

Within the next few years we may finally be able to answer the ultimate question – Are we alone in the universe?

Presenter: Dr. Paul Adams, Dean, College of Education, Professor of Physics and Anschutz Professor of Education, NASA JPL Solar System Ambassador, Fort Hays State University

Go to Science Café Facebook <https://fb.me/e/38I9Ds4hW> (Do not need to have Facebook to watch)
www.fhsu.edu/smei

www.twitter.com/FHSUScienceCafe
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Free and open to public.

MDC Workshop – Applying COVID-19 Science to Your Workplace & Lifestyle
Tuesday, January 12th, February 16th, March 16th, and April 13th at 3:00 – 5:00 pm
Workshop held via Zoom

The MDC and the Center for Entrepreneurship are continuing to offer short virtual sessions about the critical knowledge of COVID-19 throughout the spring 2021!

These sessions cover the science COVID-19 including its origins, clinical signs and symptoms, risk factors, diagnosis, transmission, and the infectious period. The goal is for you leave informed, confident, and safer. During the 2-hour session, participants will complete the first 50 minutes of a 7-hour course on *Covid-19 Contact Tracing* offered by Johns Hopkins University, which can be completed to earn a certificate at no charge after the virtual session.

Both during the course between the video modules and after the course, the facilitators will lead a robust discussion driven by participant questions. One popular topic discussed is the risk-benefit mindset unique to each individual. Also covered are the public health impacts and the broader social and mental health implications of COVID-19 from the perspective of an Ellis County Health Department official.

Learn more: <https://fhsu.edu/cob/mdc/covid19-course/index>

As FHSU faculty and staff, your registration fee is complimentary, thanks to your FHSU Vice President. ***Limited funding is available annually per division.*** For those in Academic Affairs: your registration fees are complimentary for up to two workshops per year.

Registration can be completed online at <https://webapps.fhsu.edu/MDC2.0/Default.aspx> or by calling the MDC at (785) 628-4124.

SHARE WITH STUDENTS

Student Programming Survey

Hey Tigers! Student Engagement wants to hear from you when it comes to creating fun and engaging programs for the remainder of the fall semester and spring semester! Please take a few moments to complete this [survey](#) and give us feedback about what you want. If you have any questions please contact Student Engagement, engage@fhsu.edu, 785-68-4664. We appreciate you taking the time to complete the survey!

Tigers for Trees Holiday Tree Competition

Join Victor E. in our holiday tree decorating competition! Take a photo of your decorated tree between Nov. 25 and Dec. 36 and upload it to Facebook or Instagram. Use #tigersfortrees to enter the competition. Search the hashtag and vote for your favorite trees. Winners will be selected January 2021!

Science and Mathematics Education Institute Invites You to FHSU's Plymouth Schoolhouse

Come to FHSU's Plymouth Schoolhouse (across the street from Tomanek Hall) during the Holidays between 5:00pm-9:00pm and peek in the windows. Check out the Christmas lights and decorations and see if you can spot the eight holiday items listed on www.fhsu.edu/smei

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2021 Kansas Undergraduate Research Day- Abstract Submission Open

We are now accepting 250-word abstracts for the 2021 Kansas Undergraduate Research Day at the Capitol. This event is an opportunity for undergraduate students to present their research experiences with state lawmakers in Topeka scheduled for Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, March 2, 3 & 4, 2020. **Due to COVID restrictions, this event will be virtual this year.**

DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS: Monday, January 25, 2021

This event will showcase the work of up to 40 Kansas undergraduate students representing each of the state's eight public 4-year institutions. The purpose of this event is to demonstrate the unique opportunities undergraduate students have to participate with faculty members in research at all state institutions. This event will also emphasize higher education's role in developing educated citizens and preparing a workforce with the necessary skills to further the economic growth of the state.

Undergraduate students who have been significantly involved in the research enterprise of the university either with their own project or through meaningful involvement with a faculty project are desired as participants. To qualify for this event, participants must:

- be undergraduates during the 2020-2021 academic year;
- have completed research under the guidance of a Kansas 4-year public institution faculty mentor;
- follow the methodology of the appropriate academic discipline;
- be of sufficient quality to be presented at a professional academic meeting;
- have the skills, resources, and capacity to produce a professional academic poster;
- agree to undergo presentation training and rehearse their presentations prior to the Capitol event.

Participants should be able to convey their experience and enthusiasm to state representatives, senators, and other state officials in a poster session. Projects from a broad range of disciplines are encouraged - especially posters that relate to the state of Kansas and issues important to the state legislature (e.g. education, health, agriculture, aviation, biotechnology, energy, transportation, manufacturing, environment, and social services). Up to 5 projects will be selected from each institution.

For more information, and to apply, go

to: <https://fhsu.infoready4.com/CompetitionSpace/#manageCompetitionsDetail/1827924>

To submit an article for Tiger Daily, please create a **new** message and email it to tigerdaily@fhsu.edu before **10:00 a.m.** Items received after 10:00 a.m. will run the next business day. Submissions will be accepted only from FHSU faculty, staff, and student organizations. **Submissions must include** a headline, body text, and contact information only. **Attachments, graphics and images will not be published (including signature line graphics)**, but links to web pages may be included. Submitter is responsible for quality of content, which will be copied/pasted directly. **Replies to this message will not be responded to. Please send any inquiries regarding a Tiger Daily article directly to the submitter.** Only one Tiger Daily message will be sent per day.